

*Underline 1947 Comm. 1*

# The Parochial Ordinance 1936, Amendment Ordinance 1944.

The Bishop, the Clergy and the Laity of the Diocese of Crafton in Synod assembled, declare, ordain and enact as follows:—

1. Sections 119 and 120 of the Parochial Ordinance 1936 are hereby repealed and the following inserted in lieu thereof:—

## MEMORIALS, MONUMENTS, ETC.

119. No monument memorial ornament furniture or fittings shall be placed in any Church or Church grounds or moved or obscured or taken away unless and until the following requirements shall be complied with:—

(a) The Minister and Church Wardens shall affix to the principal entrance or entrances of the Church a notice setting out full particulars of such monument memorial ornament furniture or fittings and of the position in or to which it is proposed to place or remove the same or of the manner in which it is proposed to obscure the same or stating the intention to take the same away as the case may be.

(b) The said notice shall remain so affixed and undisturbed for four weeks and during that time the Minister shall draw attention to it at two Services being not less than seven days apart.

(c) At the expiration of the said four weeks the Minister and Church Wardens shall make application in writing to the Bishop for permission to effect such placing moving obscuring or taking away as the case may be.

(d) Such application shall be accompanied by a copy of the said notice and evidence of compliance with the provisions of subsections a and b.

(e) All objections to the said proposals which have been received by the Minister or Church Wardens from Parishioners shall be sent to the Bishop with the said application.

(f) With the application for placing a monument or memorial there shall also be set out what provision (if any) by way of endowment or other security the donor or donors are willing to make for the repair and upkeep of the same.

(g) If the said application shall be signed by a Minister who is locum tenens only it shall be accompanied by the authority in writing of the Incumbent authorising the signing of the same.

(h) The Bishop after considering the said application evidence and objections of Parishioners which he may have received may issue a Faculty for such placing upon such conditions as to repair and upkeep as he may decide or may

give his consent in writing to such moving obscuring taking away.

120. The Minister and Church Wardens shall immediately remove replace uncover or restore any monument memorial ornament furniture or obstruction placed moved or obscured in or taken away from any Church or Church grounds otherwise than in accordance with Section 119 of this Ordinance on being required by the Bishop to do so and shall provide costs incurred.

2. Section 66 of the Parochial Ordinance 1936 is hereby amended by inserting after the word "more" the words "less."

3. This Ordinance shall be cited as "The Parochial Ordinance 1936 Amendment Ordinance 1944."